

United States District Court
Violation Notice

(Rev. 1/2019)

Location Code	Violation Number	Officer Name	Officer No.
A51	FDV1007V	Roper	2331

YOU ARE CHARGED WITH THE FOLLOWING VIOLATION

Date and Time of Offense	Offense Charged	<input type="checkbox"/> CFR	<input type="checkbox"/> USC	<input type="checkbox"/> State Code
04/08/2023 08:30	FED 36CFR	261.3A		

Place of Offense

FR 9571 & HWY 89A

Offense Description: Factual Basis for Charge HAZMAT

THREATEN/RESIST/INTIMIDATE/INTERFERE WITH A FOREST OFFICER ENGAGED IN HIS OFFICIAL DUTIES IN THE PROTECTION, IMPROVEMENT, OR ADMINISTRATION OF THE NATIONAL FOREST SYSTEM

DEFENDANT INFORMATION

Phone:

Last Name DORIA	First Name DANIEL	M.I. T
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Street Address

City CAMP VERDE	State AZ	Zip Code 86322	Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy) 1983
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Drivers License No	CDL <input type="checkbox"/>	D.L. State AZ	Social Security No. 3751
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	Time (hh:mm) 10:00

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Officer's Copy (Pink)

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(For issuance of an arrest warrant or summons)

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Employees Rice and Duhamel were in USFS uniforms, and they were driving a marked USFS truck. Employee Duhamel is a Forest Protection Officer, who is authorized to write violation notices for observed violations of 36 CFR to compliant individuals.

Employees Rice and Duhamel both stated that they felt intimidated by DORIA's comments, as well as the aggressive way that he approached them and delivered his comments. They both also stated that DORIA's aggression and threats caused them to depart the area prior to them completing the work that they had come to do, just to maintain their own safety. I interviewed the employees nearly 5 hours after they contacted DORIA, and even over the phone, it sounded like both employees were "shaken" or "rattled" by the incident. Employee Duhamel was concerned enough about DORIA's threatening behavior that he sent a message to all staff working that day to not contact the camp, and he sent a picture and location with his notification.

[See continued report on attached form]

The foregoing statement is based upon:

MY PERSONAL INVESTIGATION

I declare under penalty of perjury that the information which I have set forth above and on the face of this violation notice is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Executed on: 04/08/2023

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

Officer's Signature

 Probable cause has been stated for the issuance of a warrant.Executed on: Camille D Bibles Digitally signed by Camille D Bibles
Date: 2023.04.09 07:59:20 -07'00'

Date (mm/dd/yyyy)

U.S. Magistrate Judge

HAZMAT = Hazardous material involved in incident; PASS = 9 or more passenger vehicle;
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23-04082-MJ-01-PCT-CDB



**USDA STATEMENT OF PROBABLE CAUSE
Forest Service**

**CASE NUMBER
FDV1007V**

FOREST
Coconino National Forest

ADDRESS
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When employee Duhamel initially reported the incident to me, I immediately recognized the trailer and SUV from multiple other contacts and alerts that I had received from multiple other agencies. Since January 2023, DORIA has been contacted by Camp Verde Marshal's Office (January-March), Prescott National Forest USFS LEO's (March 2023), Yavapai Apache Police Department (YAPD, April 2023), and myself, and LEO on the Coconino National Forest. After each contact, I received officer safety alerts from each agency about DORIA's verbally aggressive behavior, and signs that he may be a part of the sovereign citizen movement. DORIA is suspected of having lived on the Prescott National Forest for nearly a month, in an area that is closed to all camping. While DORIA had his trailer set up in this no camping area, he was contacted by a USFS recreation employee on March 6th who also reported that she was intimidated by DORIA and requested law enforcement assistance. YAPD requested assistance with contacting DORIA on April 4, 2023 due to the fact that DORIA would not depart their lands, stating that he was on National Forest System lands and they had no authority. They also requested our assistance due to DORIA's verbally aggressive behavior, to maintain their safety. We felt that he was such an



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officer safety risk that we contacted him with 3 uniformed officers and one agent on a covert surveillance assignment. DORIA was verbally aggressive again with myself and the tribal officers.

I issued DORIA a violation notice for a violation of 36 CFR 261.3 (a), Threatening, resisting, intimidating, or interfering with any forest officer engaged in or on account of the performance of his official duties in the protection, improvement, or administration of the National Forest System is prohibited. RUBIO was also charged with a violation of 36 CFR 261.10 (b), residential use of National Forest System lands, and 36 CFR 261.58 (e), camping in a prohibited area. DORIA was issued a warning for 21 USC 844, possession of a controlled substance -marijuana.

The foregoing is based upon:

My personal observations.
 My personal investigation.
 Information supplied to me from a fellow officer's observations.
 Other (explained above).

I declare under penalty of perjury that the information which I have set forth above and on the face of the Violation Notice is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Executed on April 8, 2023

A handwritten signature of "C. Roper" in black ink.

Law Enforcement Officer C. Roper

Probable Cause has been stated for the issuance of a summons or a warrant for the arrest of the violator named or identified herein.

Camille D
Bibles

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Camille D Bibles
Date: 2023.04.09
08:00:17 -07'00'

(United States Magistrate-Judge)

(Date)

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04/08/2023 15:15	FED 36CFR	261.10B

Place of Offense

FR 9571 & HWY 89A

Offense Description: Factual Basis for Charge	HAZMAT <input type="checkbox"/>
CONSTRUCT/RECONSTRUCT/IMPROVE/MAINTAIN/OCCUPY/USE A RESIDENCE ON NATIONAL FOREST SYSTEM LANDS WITHOUT AUTHORIZATION	

DEFENDANT INFORMATION

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I had a prior contact with DORIA on April 4, 2023. At that time I was assisting Yavapai Apache Police (YAPD), due to the fact that DORIA was camping on their land illegally, and DORIA stated his intention to move less than 100 feet away onto adjoining National Forest System lands. During the course of that contact I educated DORIA about the camping stay limit regulations, no residential use on National Forest System lands, fire restrictions, sanitation, and I provided him with a Coconino National Forest MVUM as well as a Red Rock District Recreation Guide.

It was during this contact on April 4th that I heard DORIA, speaking to YAPD officers, referring to his trailer as a home. DORIA asked about the legality of camping on the National Forest lands adjacent to the tribal lands that he was currently on. To answer his question more completely, I asked DORIA where he lived. He stated that he lives in various places in Camp Verde, in his trailer. On multiple occasions, he referred to his trailer as his "home" or "house." I also had information through prior contacts with Camp Verde Marshal's Office and Prescott National Forest LEO's that DORIA had been evicted from a trailer park in Camp Verde, he then drove down the same road and began living on the Prescott National Forest, before coming to Yavapai-Apache Tribal lands and ultimately the Coconino National Forest. DORIA informed me that he not only lives in his trailer, but he is also a full-time student from his trailer, and he uses it to run a for-profit and not-for-profit dog care business out of it.

[See continued report on attached form]

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On this contact on April 8th, DORIA wanted to let me know that he had no intention of camping longer than 14 days. DORIA stated that he already had a U-Haul truck reserved for his 14th day to get his trailer moved, since he could not tow it with his SUV. DORIA stated that he intended to make a circuit out of spending 14 days each on the Coconino, and Prescott National Forests, as well as BLM's Agua Fria National Monument. After his arrest but prior to jail booking, DORIA also stated that he had been in communication with the USDA, Northern Arizona University, and Yavapai College to look for additional housing options where he could legally live in his trailer.

I arrested DORIA for a violation of 36 CFR 261.10 (b), construction, reconstructing, improving, maintaining, occupying or using a residence on National Forest System lands unless authorized by a special-use authorization or approved operating plan when such authorization is required. DORIA was also charged with violations of 36 CFR 261.3 (a), Threatening, resisting, intimidating, or interfering with a forest officer engaged in the performance of his official duties and 36 CFR 261.58 (e), camping in a prohibited area. DORIA was issued a warning for 21 USC 844, possession of a controlled substance - marijuana.



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Law Enforcement Officer C. Roper

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(Date)

**Camille D
Bibles**

(United States Magistrate-Judge)

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CAMPING IN A PROHIBITED AREA, PER FOREST ORDER # 03-04-06-23-03

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The camping closure in this area is marked and advertised in a variety of ways. The first, and most obvious, was that there was a large sign visible from the front steps of RUBIO's trailer and adjacent to FR 9571 that reads "camping/campfires prohibited beyond this point, per 36 CFR 261.52 (a) and 36 CFR 361.58 (e), Up to \$5000 fine and/or 6 months in jail." This sign is also duplicated about a mile away, on Highway 89A northbound at the camping closure boundary. The second way this law is denoted is on the Coconino National Forest webpage, as well as in press releases in local news, with stories dating back nearly a year. The third way this camping restriction is denoted is on the Coconino National Forest Motor Vehicle Use Map (MVUM), with FR 9571 and the surrounding area marked as a "camping and campfire restrictions" area.

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I arrested DORIA for a violation of 36 CFR 261.58 (e), camping in a prohibited area per forest order # 03-04-06-23-03. DORIA was also charged with violations of 36 CFR 261.3 (a) and 36 CFR 261.10 (b).

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My personal observations.
 My personal investigation.
 Information supplied to me from a fellow officer's observations.
 Other (explained above).

I declare under penalty of perjury that the information which I have set forth above and on the face of the Violation Notice is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Executed on April 8, 2023

A handwritten signature of "C. Roper" in black ink.

Law Enforcement Officer C. Roper

Probable Cause has been stated for the issuance of a summons or a warrant for the arrest of the violator named or identified herein.

(Date)

**Camille D
Bibles**

Digitally signed by
Camille D Bibles
Date: 2023.04.09 08:07:20
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(United States Magistrate-Judge)

